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TAGS: EFIS BR

SUBJ: REPORTED SEIZURE OF TRAWLER GULF STREAM

1. ACCORDING TO OWNER SAHLMAN BROTHERS, US SHRIMP TRAWLER GULF STREAM WAS BOARDED BY BRAZILIAN NAVY THIS MORNING AND IS BEING TAKEN IN, PRESUMABLY TO BELEM. CAPTAIN REPORTS THAT PATROL HAS INFORMED HIM REASON FOR DETENTION IS THAT GOB HAS NO INFORMATION THAT HIS VESSEL HAS BEEN AUTHORIZED TO FISH IN AREA. GULF STREAM WAS ISSUED NUMBER UB-186 IN MARCH. ALTHOUGH TRANSMITTAL OF THIS INFORMATION WAS APPARENTLY DELAYED, VESSEL WAS INCLUDED IN TRANSMITTAL OF LISTS AND FULL ARTICLE 4 DATA SENT WITH DEPARTMENT'S A-3848 ON MAY 4. DEPARTMENT UNDERSTANDS THIS INFORMATION IS NOW IN POSSESSION OF GOB.

2. GULF STREAM, WHEN APPROACHED BY BRAZILIAN PATROL SEVERAL DAYS AGO, WAS DISPLAYING INCORRECT NUMBER UB-149, WHICH HAD BEEN ASSIGNED TO ANOTHER BOAT OF SAME OWNER, GULF PACER, SINCE WITHDRAWN FROM FISHERY AND NUMBER CANCELLED. AFTER RECEIVING WARNING FROM PATROL, CAPTAIN REPAINTED BOARD TO UNCLASSIFIED

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SHOW CORRECT NUMBER. HOWEVER, CAPTAIN' S UNDERSTANDING IS THAT PRESENT DETENTION IS NOT RELATED TO THAT INCIDENT BUT ONLY TO NON- POSSESSION OF INFORMATION ON VESSEL BY BRAZILIAN NAVY.

3. SINCE VESSEL DOES HAVE AUTHORIZATION AND IS NOW SHOWING CORRECT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER, DEPARTMENT BELIEVES IT WOULD BE REASONABLE TO ASK GOB TO INSTRUCT PATROL TO RELEASE WITHOUT UNNECESSARY DELAY AND EXPENSE OF RUN UP TO BELEM.

4. DEPARTMENT HAS HAD CALL FROM OWNER OF APOLLO XII AND WOULD APPRECIATE IMMEDIATE REPORT OF ANY CHANGE IN STATUS OF HIS VESSEL. RUSH

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